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SUBJ: TAXATION TREATY

REF: CAIRO 9568

1. WE CONCUR WITH EMBASSY THAT CONSIDERATION SHOULD
BE GIVEN TO TREATY SIGNING CEREMONY DURING SADAT'S
WASHINGTON VISIT.

2. SUBMINISTERIAL DELEGATION FROM FINANCE MINISTRY
COULD ARRIVE IN ADVANCE TO CONCLUDE AGREEMENT ON TEXT
AND POINTS THEY WISH TO RAISE. EMBASSY SHOULD CONFIRM
THAT FINAL TEXT CAN BE SIGNED BY GOE IN ENGLISH, AND THAT THERE
WILL BE NO OFFICIAL ARABIC TEXT. PREPARATION OF A CONFORMED
TRANSLATION INTO ARABIC WOULD TAKE SEVERAL MONTHS. IF THIS IS
A PROBLEM THE SIGNING CEREMONY WITH A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT COULD
BE IN THE FORM OF INITIALLING THE TREATY AT THE
MINISTERIAL LEVEL WITH FORMAL SIGNATURE WHEN THE CONFORMED TEXTS
ARE AVAILABLE.

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3. TREASURY IS UNAWARE OF ANY PROPOSAL FOR SIGNATURE
PRIOR TO JOINT BUSINESS COUNCIL MEETING AS DESCRIBED
IN REFERENCE CABLE. TREASURY DELEGATION IS PREPARED
TO MEET AT ANY TIME AT CONVENIENCE OF GOE.

4. JBC MEETING SHOULD ENCOURAGE COMPLETION OF TREATY.
WE SHOULD BE CAUTIOUS ABOUT ANNOUNCEMENT THAT TREATY
WILL BE SIGNED UNLESS IT IS CLEAR THE ADDITIONAL
POINTS TO BE CLARIFIED ARE MINOR AND WILL NOT DELAY
PROMPT SIGNING. INGERSOLL

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